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In re Application of:
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For: TREATMENT OF OSTEOARTHRITIS § Attorney/Docket No.: 36672.6

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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Sir:

Responsive to the telephonic request of Examiner Bradley on September 18, 2009, Applicants submit the accompanying amendment to clarify the amendments to the specification previously of record as requested by the Office of Patent Publication. The present amendment incorporates all amendments made to the specification throughout the prosecution, beginning with the substitute specification filed 4/14/05, and the amendments subsequently filed on 6/29/06 and 10/16/07. The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter and approve this amendment. A replacement Application Data Sheet is also provided as requested by the Office of Patent Publication.

Applicants believe that there is no fee due for this amendment, and that the present materials place the application in immediate condition for allowance. However, should any fees be due for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees (or credit any overpayment) to Haynes and Boone, LLP's Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 36672.6.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 30 of this paper.